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Rome, Jan. 23. N. S.

THE Viceroy of Naples has sent a Deputy hither to Accommodate the Difference between this Court and that Government, concerning the Eccleſiaſtical Immunities which hath been on foot ever ſince the Inſurrection at Naples in 1701. at which time the Duke Della Riccia, one of the Perſons concerned in it, was ſeized in the Church of Sora in that Kingdom; whereas it is inſiſted upon here, that the Churches are Places of Refuge, where no Violence ought to be offered to any one. The Queen-Dowager of Poland is upon her departure from hence towards Gratz in Stiria; where it is ſaid ſhe intends to meet the Electreſs of Bavaria her Daughter, and the two Princes, James and Conſtantine Sobieski her Sons, whom the King of Poland has promiſed to ſet at Liberty. His Majeſty has declared, That notwithſtanding the Biſhop of Poſen has been in actual Rebellion againſt him, yet, out of his great Regard to the Privileges and Immunities of the Church, he is willing to deliver him up into the Hands of the Pope, in order to his being proceeded againſt as he ſhall think fit.

Venice, January 30. The Diverſions of our Carnaval have Invited hither a great number of Foreigners, and among them ſeveral Perſons of Note. The Senate daily receives Complaints from the Breſcian of the great Diſorders committed by the French in that Province, who plunder the Inhabitants in the ſame manner as they would do if they were in an Enemy's Country. This Matter has been repreſented to the Grand Prior their General, but no redreſs has hitherto been obtained; and on the contrary, he has lately cauſed three Peaſants to be hanged for having killed one of his Soldiers, though they had done it in their own Defence, upon that Soldier's coming, with ſeveral others, to pillage their Houſes. The Grand Prior continues to obſerve the Imperial Troops Commanded by the Count de Leiningen. A Detachment of them has lately formed a flying Camp at Buſſolengo near the River Adige, from whence they daily make ſucceſsful Excurſions into the Dutchy of Mantua. There is Advice, That 4000 Sacks of Corn, and a very conſiderable Sum of Money, have within theſe few days been brought to Trent, for the uſe of the Count de Leiningen's Army.

Berlin, Feb. 7. Monſieur Bulau came hither the 3d inſtant Expreſs from Hanover, with the ſurprizing News of the Death of Elizabeth Sophia Charlotte Queen of Pruſſia, who lately went thither to partake of the Diverſions of the Carnaval; and being taken ill with an Inflamation in her Throat, which afterwards ſeized her Lungs, died the 31ſt paſt at night. This excellent Princeſs was the Daughter of Erneſtus Auguſtus Elector of Hanover, and of the Princeſs Sophia Daughter of Frederick V. Elector Palatine and King of Bohemia, and Grand-Daughter by her Mother's ſide of James I of Glorious Memory, King of Great Britain; was Born the Twentieth of October 1668. and Married the Sixth of October 1684. to Frederick the III the preſent King of Pruſſia. His Majeſty is extreamly afflicted with ſo great a Loſs, inſomuch that his Health is endangered thereby; and it has been thought convenient to let him Blood: He keeps his Chamber, but intends to appear in Publick to morrow; on which day all Perſons are to be in the deepeſt Mourning. Upon this Melancholy News an Expreſs was immediately ſent to the Prince Royal at the Hague, that he ſhould forthwith return hither. We hear her Majeſty is to lie in State at Hanover: After which ſhe will be brought to this Place, in order to her being Interred. Several of the great Officers of this Court, with two Troops of the Horſe Guards, all Clothed in Mourning, are to receive the Body on the Frontier, and conduct it hither; and in every Province through which it paſſes it will be attended by the Nobility, and other principal Inhabitants. In the mean time the Bells are to be toll'd throughout the King's Dominions from 12 at Noon to One for 6 weeks; particular Prayers are appointed to be ſaid for the Preſervation of the Royal Family; and all manner of Diverſions are forbid for a year. The Elector of Hanover has ſent hither Monſieur Ilten, one of his Council, with a Compliment upon the Death of the Queen his Siſter: He arrived two days ago, and yeſterday morning had Audience of his Majeſty; who, among other things, told him, He might Aſſure the Elector his Maſter, that the Queen's Death ſhould not any ways leſſen his Kindneſs and Eſteem for the Houſe of Hanover. Yeſterday and this day two Battalions of the King's Foot-Guards arrived here from Pruſſia. The Prince of Anhalt Deſſau is come hither to wait upon his Majeſty, and give him an Account of the Condition of his Forces in Bavaria. His Highneſs will return thither very ſpeedily, and haſten as much as is poſſible their March into Italy.

Whitehaven, Feb. 4. About 16 Sail of light Colliers are come in here ſince the firſt inſtant from Dublin. Yeſterday the Hopewell of this Port, Samuel Bowman Commander, ſet Sail for Virginia.

Falmouth, Feb. 5. Yeſterday arrived here the Lisbon Pacquet-Boat in 9 days from Lisbon. The Commander ſays, That when he came away the Squadron Commanded by Sir John Leake was making ready to go to Sea; that four of his Ships were out a Cruiſing, and two more ready to Sail.

Plimouth, Feb. 6. Yeſterday came in here Her Majeſty's Ship the Triton, with a Privateer ſhe had taken called the Royal of St. Maloes, of 24 Guns; and another French Prize, being a Merchant-men of 18 Guns, laden with Wine, Malaga-Soap, and Berilla, from Alicant. This day came in Her Majeſty's Ship the Rupert from Ireland, with 4 Engliſh Merchant-men under her Convoy, viz. One from the Eaſt-Indies, one from Guinea, and two from the Weſt-Indies.

Briſtol, Feb. 6. The Port-Royal, a Merchant-man, Captain Thomas Eldridge Commander, arrived here the 2d inſtant from Jamaica: He gives an Account, That he left the Iſland very healthy: That the Enemy was very quiet in thoſe Parts, and they had heard but of one Man of War of theirs, and ſix Merchant Ships, that